S/N 09/715,418

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

LEWIN ET AL.

Examiner:

D. ROMEO

Serial No.:

09/715,418

Group Art Unit:

1647

Filed:

NOVEMBER 16, 2000

Docket No.:

11669.191USU1

Title:

WNT-REGULATED CYTOKINE-LIKE POLYPEPTIDE AND NUCLEIC

ACIDS ENCODING SAME

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d):

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 24.

2004.

## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

23552 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.191, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 42-65 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed November 24, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$330.00 to cover the required fee for filing this Notice of Appeal as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).

Also enclosed is a Petition for three-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection, thereby extending said period of response from February 24, 2004 to May 24, 2004. Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the required extension fee for large entity.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Merchant & Gould P.C.,

Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C. P.O. Box 2903 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-0903 (612) 332-5300

Date: May 24, 2004

Anne M. Murphy Reg. No. 54,327

AMM:PLSkaw